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Dear Pamela Monroe,

As a resident of North Sandwich, I see daily the beauty of the White Mountains. I am also a native of NH and have heard the stories of how our electric will be lowered and we will all benefit from a Project that will benefit the utilities. Rarely does this show to be true in the long run. I am soon to be 100% off grid for all my heating and other home electric needs. We will not need Northern Pass and it will be a waste to proceed.

Eversource and Hydro Quebec have both said they aren't paying for the project which raises the question whether either of the companies have the financial capability to build and operate this \$1.6 billion project. The transmission towers and lines are going to have a horrible effect on the landscape, historic sites, and the environment in New Hampshire. The transmission line also will not serve our state, as it merely passes through New Hampshire.

I hope the committee will reject this project's certificate to prevent it from harming our state.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Katherine Thorndike